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The Weather Bulletin

Report of the Condition of Growing Crops.

A VERY FAVORABLE OUTLOOK.

Excessive Rains Interfered With Harvesting in Some Localities—The New Flag: Not Legal—A Scheme to Utilize the Old Monitors—Other Washington News.

WASHINGTON, July 8.—The weather crop bulletin for the week ending Saturday, July 6, says: The weather has been especially favorable for growing crops throughout the corn and wheat belt. The crops are reported as growing rapidly, especially corn, and winter wheat harvest is well under way with a good yield reported.

While Minnesota reports meteorological conditions favorable and excellent crop prospects, Dakota reports that rain is much needed, except in localities and crops are suffering from drouth. Generally throughout the states south of the Ohio river the rainfall was excessive and the wet soil prevented plowing. Harvesting was completed in Kentucky with a fair yield of wheat; corn was reported as excellent and tobacco improved. In Tennessee rain retarded harvesting and threshing, but the cotton crop is reported as improved. In Louisiana and Mississippi excessive rains have caused the crops to become grassy, and cotton is greatly in need of cultivation. Texas and Arkansas report too much rain, but the weather was more favorable than that of the previous week.

Alabama is the only gulf state reporting favorable weather and all crops in good condition. Excessive rains proved injurious in the middle and south Atlantic states, where harvesting has been interrupted, much hay destroyed, and wheat is sprouting in the shock. Rain also proved injurious to hay and oats in New England. Cranberries are also slightly injured by cold, but other crops, including corn, potatoes, rye and tobacco, are reported in fine condition.

Forty-Two Stars Not a Legal Flag.

WASHINGTON, July 8.—Although the navy department has issued an order to the effect that hereafter all flags made for the navy shall contain forty two stars, a request from the assistant treasurer at New York for a flag of this description has been refused by the treasury department. The officials of the revenue marine bureau which distributes flags to the custom houses, revenue marine boats, etc., hold that a flag with forty-two stars is not a legal flag, and will not be until the next 4th of July. The law says: "On the admission of a new state into the Union, one star shall be added to the Union of the flag and such addition shall take effect on the 4th day of July then next succeeding such admission."

"The flags with forty stars are just one year ahead of time" said a revenue marine official to a reporter yesterday. "The local contractor who furnishes our flags says that all the flags which he makes for private individuals contain the increased number stars. That is all right so far as private parties are concerned, but the government must have a legal flag or none."

Utilizing the Old Monitors.

WASHINGTON, July 8.—C. E. Creecy, of the Pneumatic Gun Carriage company, has filed a caveat on a device by which he hopes to use the old monitors for coast defense purposes. There are thirteen of these monitors. Their armor is too light to be any protection against modern guns. Mr. Creecy proposes to take the turrets off the monitors and to place on each two large cannon mounted on disappearing gun carriages. They are to be sighted and aimed from below decks by the intervention of mirrors. They are also to be loaded below the water line and hoisted into place by pneumatic power. The recoil of each gun carries it back below decks, and it is above the deck for three seconds only.

Getting Behind With the Work.

WASHINGTON, July 8.—Secretary Windom has not received the answer of the company owning the steam presses in use in the bureau of engraving and printing to the proposition of the government to continue the use of the steam presses at a greatly reduced royalty. The secretary has notified the company, however, that he reserves the right to abrogate at any time any new contract that may be made. The steam presses have not been in use since June 30, and in order to keep up with the work of the bureau Chief Meredith has ordered the hand printers on an hour earlier every day until further notice.

Reorganizing the Old Greenback Party.

WASHINGTON, July 8.—George O. Jones has issued a call to "All who desire to aid in reorganizing the National Greenback party on the principles once advocated by Peter Cooper, and by many of the wisest men and ablest newspapers in both of the old parties" in which they are requested to meet in their respective states and congressional districts, on or before Wednesday, Sept. 4, 1889, and appoint one delegate and one alternate to attend the National Greenback convention, heretofore called to meet at Cincinnati, O., on Thursday, Sept. 12, 1889.

Murdered on the Way to Church.

MONTICELLO, Ga., July 8.—Henry and Dick Watson set upon Warren Waters, who had assaulted their mother, and literally cut him into pieces. The parties were all on their way to church at the time.

A bank cashier at Houghton, Wis., is said to have disappeared with $50,000 in cash.

CRONIN'S MURDERER.

His Dead Body Found in the Niagara River.

NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y., July 8.—On Thursday afternoon the body of a man was found floating in the Whirlpool, having evidently come over the falls. It was that of a man about 40 years old, five feet eight inches high and weighing about 150 pounds, with dark hair and moustache. The body was nude except for a black checked necktie. The body has not been identified. Yesterday two boys found a letter among the rocks on Third Sister Island which seems to have some reference to the Cronin mystery. The word "the" before "trunk" in the letter is underscored. The letter is as follows:

WESTERN HOTEL,
NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y., May 20, 1889.

DEAR BROTHER—I know that what I am about to write will drive the blood from your heart. I am about to bring an end to all my trials and troubles. God knows that life until recently was as sweet to me as to any one, but the strain of late has been too much for me. I cannot go into the presence of our Holy Father with my mind so stained. I must ease my mind. Why are you not with me so that I can talk to you? You have been a true friend. I never had more to say to you than I have now. What a fearful tale I could tell, but dare not put it on paper, for all I know punishment will never be meted out to me in earth for the part I took in it. You cannot imagine how I have been since I left you. May God forgive it all. When I left you I went right to Chicago, and you can guess from reading papers as to C—— being missing, how all came out in ridding us of that devilish traitor and spy of our actions.

God only knows why such a fearful change has come over me since that night. I left the city at once, and hurried here to finish the part that had been given me. My brain is on fire. O, I have waited so for the trunk to come; each day's delay has increased my frenzy to the highest perch, and now I know the plans, for all they were so carefully laid, must have miscarried, and I dread the consequences. I cannot stand it any more. I am going to end it all. I want you to remember that I have been loyal to Ireland's cause, but now I am sick and all broke up. Ever since that fearful night my sleep has been filled with fearful dreams, and now, after removing from me everything that can identify me, I shall free myself from any more by suicide, which here is so easy. Only one step into the swift current and all is done. My body instead of his will be picked up and buried with the unknown dead, if ever found. Good-by,

EN. ——.

P. S.—Always be true to Ireland, and ——
The rest of the writing is obliterated.

A BANK'S LOSS.

The Cashier of the Malta, Ohio, National Bank a Heavy Defaulter.

ZANESVILLE, O., July 8.—Hiel D. Miller, cashier of the Malta National bank, of Malta, O., twenty-five miles south of Zanesville, is a defaulter to the amount of $32,000, and probably $50,000. His peculations have extended over a number of years, and were carried on by pocketing the discounts of the bank from day to day. This was possible, as he was cashier, paying and receiving teller and clerk, and had the full confidence of the directors.

A short time ago Miller was thrown from his buggy and sustained injuries which necessitated a substitute at the bank. One deficit of $1,000 was found for which Miller gave his note; but when others were brought to light, as soon as he was able to hobble around on crutches, he left the city and is now supposed to be in Oregon. His bondsmen, E. M. Stanberry and John Miller, his father, both of Malta, have paid $20,000, the amount of his bond, and the bank will lose the balance.

Social and Financial Sensation.

CANTON, O., July 8.—H. E. Reynolds, resident manager of the National Building and Loan association, of New York, has left a large sized sensation behind him here through leaving town in company with pretty Della Goetz, head waitress of the Burnett house. A large number of creditors mourn his sudden departure and his accounts with the New York company are in a bad shape.

School Superintendent Suicides.

ANGOLA, Ind., July 8.—Lyman R. Williams, for nearly thirty years superintendent of schools in Steuben county, committed suicide Sunday morning by hanging. He was a graduate of Ann Arbor and served two terms as county treasurer. Grief over the death of a member of his family and poor health are supposed to be the cause.

A Fatal Fire in Nova Scotia.

HALIFAX, N. S., July 8.—The general store and dwelling of J. G. Byrd, at East Chezzetiook, burned last night. A young daughter of Mr. Byrd was burned to death, another jumped from the window with an infant in her arms and was seriously injured, besides being severely burned. Byrd and wife were also badly burned.

Killed the Man That Owed the Bill.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., July 8.—W. T. Wadkins, last night, went to the house of Dr. K. T. Mullen, near Woodlawn, and tried to shoot him. The doctor wrested the rifle away and beat Wadkins to death with it. The trouble originated in a dispute between the two men over a bill for medical services.

Another Canadian Convert.

ISHPEMING, Mich., July 8.—Lewis Charriers, for years agent of the American Express company at Houghton, Mich., has left for parts unknown. He was last seen in Hancock yesterday. He is supposed to have gone to Canada. It is reported $20,000 of the company's money is missing.

Eight Business Houses Burned.

GENEVA, O., July 8.—Eight business house, including the postoffice, were burned here Sunday morning, causing a loss of $25,000. The fire was caused by a defective flue.

Just Before the Battle.

Both Kilrain and Sullivan on the Ground

READY FOR THE GREAT FIGHT.

The Two Contestants Reported in the Best of Condition, and in a Very Short Time the Result Will Be Known—How the Sabbath Was Spent.

NEW ORLEANS, La., July 8.—Both Kilrain and Sullivan left Sunday afternoon for the point selected for the fight. A train consisting of a locomotive, a baggage car and two passenger coaches, was made up at the Queen and Crescent depot and left the depot at 4 o'clock, one car being occupied by Sullivan and seven of his friends and the other by Kilrain and some of his friends. At 6:30 p. m. the arrival of both principals and their friends at the battle ground was wired to this city.

Kilrain arose about 9 and appeared bright and fresh. He was in excellent humor and conversed freely with those who came to see him. He remained in his room until about 11 o'clock, when he went to the gymnasium, where he spent an hour. At noon, in company with Mitchell, Murphy and Pony Moore, he breakfasted at Mureaus' restaurant on Canal street. The party returned to the gymnasium about 2 o'clock. Kilrain's condition seemed greatly improved and his eyes were brighter and his movements much more active than Saturday. Mitchell said: "If Sullivan don't lick him in twenty minutes he won't do it in a month."

The members of the Athletic club, some of whom were disappointed at Kilrain's first appearance, changed their minds yesterday, and expressed astonishment at his physical development, as well as the improvement in his demeanor.

Kilrain acknowledged the introductions to those present at the gymnasium in a graceful and quiet manner, and remained in conversation until the announcement was made that carriages were in readiness to take the party out for a drive. Kilrain, Mitchell, Murphy, Moore and some other friends then retired to their room and packed their grips. When they reappeared it was evident to all that their carriage ride was not one for pleasure only, but that they were prepared for travel. As the party drove away from the gymnasium, Kilrain called out: "Good-by boys, I'll be back with you shortly and bring you good news." These confident words were accompanied by a look of determination and evoked loud cheers. The party was then driven directly to the Queen and Crescent depot, where they took the train as above stated.

The St. Charles hotel was crowded with sporting men all day. Sullivan was the favorite so far as having a money backing indicates. The non-betting element of the community seem to hope Kilrain will win. Kilrain's friends demand two to one in the betting, but only one hundred to seventy-five is conceded by Sullivan men and this is not readily taken.

Among the visitors at Sullivan's headquarters yesterday were Sheriff Malloy, Chief of Police Hughes, of Louisville, and others. They were entertained by Muldoon and could not see Sullivan, who was allowed complete rest and seemed willing to enjoy it. He ate heartily and took a long nap before going to the train.

Kilrain's condition seems enigmatical. The general idea among sporting men is that he is too lean and tall, but Tom Allen declares that he is too fat, though Allen is still inclined to think the Baltimore boy will win. Bets are being made that Sullivan will win in less than six rounds.

Troops Ready to Prevent the Fight.

Saturday night Capt. Beanham, of the field artillery, received orders from the governor to have his command in readiness to move at a moment's notice. At 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon the artillery, which numbers about fifty men, assembled at the armory, dressed in fatigue uniforms, and armed with Springfield rifles. The appearance of the troops at the armory caused some excitement, but nothing is yet known of their intended movement.

It is stated on good authority that Governor Nicholls will go out in person with the militia. Two companies, a total of one hundred men, are now under arms. It is understood that one company will go by steamboat across the lake to Home Island, where the governor believes the fight is to occur. The other will go by train. The governor has posted notice that militiamen who fail to respond to the call will be heavily fined and imprisoned. He is very much in earnest. A company of troops left Bay St. Louis, Miss., yesterday for the state line, intending to intercept and arrest the pugilists if they attempt to enter Mississippi. Up to 11 p. m. sales of tickets to the ring side amounted to about $25,000.

Receipts of the Fight.

By 10 o'clock Sunday morning tickets for all the 800 seats in the ring had been sold, and speculators began to advance prices for them. In some cases inner ring tickets sold as high as $10. It is expected that about 2,500 people will witness the fight, and that the gate receipts will be $30,000. The railroad fare is only $2. The understanding is that if the fight is prevented ticket holders will get their money back, except the $2 fare. The net proceeds of the gate money—say $25,000 will go, 60 per cent. to the winner and 40 per cent. to the loser.

Sunset Cox's Sister Dead.

ZANESVILLE, O., July 8. Mrs Sedgwick, a sister of Hon. S. S. Cox, died at her home in this city last evening.

AFFAIRS IN SAMOA.

More of the Storm-Wrecked Sailors Arrive at San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 8.—The steamer Alameda, from Apia, June 22, brings nine officers and sixty men of the United States steamship Trenton, wrecked in the great storm. Admiral Kimberly, Lieuts. Rittenhouse and Merriam and five men remain at Apia. There is no American warship there now. The natives vigorously cheered the American sailors when they left. Quietude had prevailed in Samoa for the past six weeks.

The German gunboat Wolf was the only man-of-war in the harbor. The Nipsic is at Honolulu for repairs. She started for Auckland under convoy of the Alert. They started May 9, but after proceeding 250 miles thought it inadvisable to proceed further, and returned to Apia. Admiral Kimberly censured Commander Mullan, of the Nipsic, for this course, and Mullan asked to be released of his command. Lieut. Commander Lyon, of the Trenton, was put in command, and the vessels were again ordered to Honolulu.

Capt. Mullan came as a passenger on the Alemada.

Chief Engineer G. W. Hall, of the Nipsic, died of dysintery at Leone.

Mataafa and Tamasese have agreed to a truce pending the result of the Berlin conference. Mataafa gave a great feast recently and invited all foreigners, but no Germans attended.

A German saloon keeper, while carelessly handling a revolver, accidentally shot one of the Trenton's sailors. The event caused some excitement at the time, but the saloon keeper was discharged by the German consul.

Numerous gifts have been presented by the American government to the natives for their heroic conduct in assisting the American vessels and men during the hurricane.

The Nipsic had to stop at Fanning Island on account of shortness of coal. The Alert reached Honolulu, whence she will return with coal and assist the Nipsic to Honolulu.

BASE BALL.

Standing of the American Association and League Clubs.

The American Association base ball clubs have played nearly half of their scheduled games, and the figures that follow show conclusively which clubs have been doing the best work. The number of games lost and won include those of Sunday:

	Won.	Lost.
St. Louis	46	21
Brooklyn	39	24
Athletic	37	26
Baltimore	35	29
Cincinnati	34	30
Kansas City	29	36
Columbus	25	39
Louisville	19	45

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.
Boston	38	19
Cleveland	31	21
New York	32	22
Philadelphia	30	29
Chicago	29	30
Pittsburg	20	34
Indianapolis	20	34
Washington	10	42

SUNDAY'S GAMES.

At Cincinnati—Cincinnati 4, Athletics 0.
At St. Louis—St. Louis 8, Columbus 3.
At Louisville—Louisville 11, Baltimore 3.
At Kansas City—Kansas City 10, Brooklyn 8.

SATURDAY'S BASE BALL.—Cincinnati 5, Athletic 2; Brooklin 12, Kansas City 11; St. Louis 8, Columbus 1; Baltimore 6, Louisville 5; New York 7, Pittsburg 1; Cleveland 9, Boston 6; Indianapolis 21, Philadelphia 2, Chicago 14, Washington 0.

AUDACIOUS ROBBERY.

Vitriol Thrown in a Man's Eyes, and Relieved of Drafts for $20,000.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., July 8.—The boldest, most successful and most reckless highway robbery ever attempted in this city occurred in the glaring light of day last Tuesday morning, and has just come to light. Henry Hage came here to be married.

Tuesday morning Hage left the house for the purpose of getting shaved. He found no one at the shop, and started homeward. Soon afterward he was accosted by a stranger, who told him he was a barber, and would take him to his house and shave him. Hage accompanied him, and they had proceeded but a short distance when the newly-made acquaintance dashed a quantity of vitriol in Hage's face.

Hage was then taken out in the woods by the robber and his accomplices. After robbing him of about $20,000 the brutes bound him hand and foot and tied him to a tree. Hage remained in the woods, unconscious, bound and helpless, for three days. Friday he succeeded in freeing himself and wandered home.

He has not yet regained consciousness and may become permanently deranged. There is no clew to the thieves. The $20,000 of which he was robbed was in the form of two negotiable drafts, one on a Milwaukee and the other on a New York bank.

CRUSHED UNDER A LOCOMOTIVE.

A Broken Axle on an Engine Causes a Wreck Near Akron, O.

AKRON, O., July 8.—The Pittsburg and Western west bound passenger was wrecked in a cut about two miles east of this city at 7 o'clock yesterday evening. An axle of the locomotive broke, the engine being thrown across the track. Engineer John Rissell, of Williamsport, Pa., was crushed under the engine, his body not being taken out for several hours. He lived for a short time enduring tortures from escaping steam.

Fireman W. H. Noss, of Allegheny, was thrown on a bank and is injured in the side. Fireman Boetter was in a cab riding to Orville. He was badly scalded and injured internally. All others escaped unhurt.

A Great Persian Boom

Has Been Created in London By the Shah's Visit.

FINANCIERS ARE INTERESTED.

Concessions Secured That Will Require Millions of English Capital—A Fund Started for the Benefit of T. D. Sullivan—Other Cullings From Foreign Dispatches.

LONDON, July 8.—The shah, accompanied by the Prince and Princess of Wales, and others of the royal family, have gone to Bayswater to attend a garden party, given in the shah's honor by the Persian minister here, Prince Malcolm Khan. The shah then goes to Hatfield, where he will be entertained by Lord Salisbury.

The shah's visit, if productive of no other permanent results, has at least served to start an immense Persian boom among financiers in London. Baron Renter is engineering a big Persian bank scheme which promises to enlist millions of English capital. He has already obtained a concession from the Shah for his bank, with the right to issue legal tender notes and to circulate them throughout the Persian dominion on a par with specie. The bank has also secured other concessions said to be of great value, among which are the right to work some of the rich mineral deposits in Persio and to build and operate railways.

A Fund for T. D. Sullivan.

LONDON, July 8.—Irishmen all over the world have been asked to contribute to a fund started in Dublin, June 24, for the benefit of the indefatigable champion of Irish rights, T. D. Sullivan, member of parliament. The fund has already made good progress, Archbishop Walsh heading the list with £25, and Archbishop Croke following with £20. Thomas Sexton, member of parliament, is chairman of the committee having the fund in charge, and Mr. Parnell and Archbishop Croke are members.

Express Train Wrecked.

FRANKFORT, July 8.—The express train between Cologne and Frankfort yesterday ran into a train of empty freight cars standing on a side track, wrecking the locomotive and several passenger coaches of the express. Eight persons were killed outright and eleven severely injured. The accident was caused by the blunder of a switchman who fled when he saw the result. The police are on his track.

King Humbert to Take a Trip.

ROME, July 8.—King Humbert of Italy goes to Leghorn, Tuesday, where he will embark upon a man-of-war for a visit to Messina and Brindisi. He will be escorted by a fleet of warships. From Brindisi he goes to Lecci, where he will take part in the ceremonies attending the unveiling of a statue to the memory of his father, Victor Emanuel.

Two More Home Rulers Arrested.

LONDON, July 8.—Joseph Richard Cox, Home Rule member of parliament for East Clare, and Thomas Patrick Gill, Home Rule member for South Louth, were arrested in this city yesterday and taken to Drogheda, where they are to be tried for recent utterances at a proclaimed meeting.

Still Fighting Switzerland.

BERLIN, July 8. The German press have by no means quieted down from the excitement caused by the little breeze with Switzerland, and some quite influential papers are now advocating the summary spoilation of the Swiss territory.

Wilkie Collins' Illness.

LONDON, July 8.—Dr. Carriboard, physician attending Wilkie Collins the novelist, states that his patient's left side is paralyzed and that, considering his advanced age, it is doubtful whether he will survive the attack.

Sentenced for Conspiracy.

LONDON, July 8.—The irridentist Trakitsch has been sentenced at Trieste to three years' penal servitude on the charge of conspiracy.

RESULT OF PLAYING "CRAP."

Negroes Indulge in a Battle on a Train in Alabama.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., July 8.—While a number of negroes were playing "craps" on Red mountain, above Gate City, yesterday, Henry Nicholls shot and severely wounded a white man named Johnson and fled.

The other negroes boarded a train at Gate City, expecting Nicholls to get on the train. Nicholls did get aboard near Birmingham, and on seeing his pursuers, who were armed, he opened fire with a pistol, killing Jack Saunders and Bob Dickson. He was himself riddled with bullets, but jumped from the train and ran some distance before dropping dead. Jack Chaney, white, a switchman, was seriously wounded during the affray.

Threw Himself Under the Train.

WASHINGTON, July 5.—Arpie Shirley, a tile layer, committed suicide by throwing himself under a train on the long bridge at an early hour this morning. He had been working in Richmond, but a month ago, when his sweetheart died, he threw up his job. His suicide is attributed to grief.

No Discrepancies Exist.

NEW YORK, July 8.—The committee which has been investigating the accounts of ex-Secretary Wildman, of Typographical Union No. 6 has made a report fully exonerating Mr. Wildman from the charge that discrepancies existed in the accounts.

G. A. R. AT JOHNSTOWN.

Members of Post 30 to Be Relieved at Once—Died of Grief.

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., July 8.—The council of the Department of Pennsylvania, G. A. R., met yesterday and determined on a plan for the distribution of $15,000 subscribed by the G. A. R. of Pennsylvania, for relief of members of Post 30, who suffered by the flood. Eleven members of the post lost their lives, and 113 have reported losses aggregating $251,000. Distribution of the funds will begin at once.

Eighteen portable houses arrived yesterday, and will be constructed today.

Mr. Ludwig, who had the key, the only thing remaining of the German Lutheran church, died yesterday of grief at the loss of his three sons and one daughter.

Ordered to See the Eclipse.

CONCORD, Mass., July 8.—Professor David P. Todd, of Amherst college observatory, has received from Washington notice of his appointment as chief of the expedition to observe the total eclipse of the sun, visible Dec. 22 in southeastern Africa. A large party of scientists, headed by Professor Todd, will leave New York for St. Paul De Loanda about Oct. 1.

CONDENSED TELEGRAMS.

Minor Events and Little Happenings at Various Places.

Peter Schramm was arrested at Baltimore for bigamy.

William Lamb, a brakeman, was killed by cars near Bellaire, O.

M. S. Barlow was arrested at Lexington, Ky., for horse stealing.

Mitchell Bradley, aged 13, was drowned while bathing, at Kalida, O.

Frank H. Wetsell was killed by an explosion in a mine at Coal Bluff, Ind.

Twenty-six arrests for violating the Sunday law, took place in Cincinnati.

Benjamin Mattraven was drowned while bathing in the river at Ottawa, O.

An incendiary fire at Danbury, Conn., destroyed property valued at $40,000.

Three breweries at Indianapolis are about to pass into the hands of a syndicate.

Henry F. Fisher, aged 11 years, was killed at a railroad crossing near Baltimore.

The president returned to Washington Saturday from his trip to Woodstock, O.

Professor Louis Swift, director of the Warren observatory, has discovered a new comet.

A boy named Roy Drummers was drowned while bathing in a pond at Norwalk, O.

Operators in the Brazil, Ind., mining district are taking steps to introduce mining machinery.

An ex-convict named Sullivan fatally stabbed his wife at New York. Jealousy was the cause.

Two young men, named Gillis and White, were drowned by the capsizing of a boat near Norfolk, Va.

Dr. A. L. Preston, one of the best known physicians of western Indiana, died at Greencastle Friday.

Matt Farrell, a track walker on the Cincinnati Southern railroad, was killed by cars near Georgetown, Ky.

Professor John L. Patterson, of Lexington, has been elected principal of the public schools at Versailles, Ky.

Mrs. E. W. Barber was bitten by a rattlesnake near Lafayette, Ala., and soon afterward became totally blind.

Harry McDonald, aged 11, was fatally injured while trying to board a moving freight train at Alliance, O.

B. C. Evans, proprietor of a dry goods store at Fort Worth, Tex., was shot and killed by a discharged employe.

Edward Clark, aged 17, was shot and probably fatally injured by the accidental discharge of a pistol near Marion, Ind.

Alonzo Woolpert was bound over at Peru, Ind., on a charge of poisoning valuable horses belonging to a man named Lewis.

Mrs. Phoebe Berlin was arrested at Chicago on a charge of forging her father's name to paper on which $900 was obtained.

Hon. W. L. Edgerton, a prominent colored politician of Kansas, is engineering a scheme to induce the negroes of the south to emigrate to Oklahoma.

Professor W. H. Siford, in charge of the mechanical department of Clark university, at Atlanta, Ga., has deserted his wife for a notorious woman of Augusta.

At a meeting of the Grand Army post, at Fond du Lac, Wis., Gen. Bragg was dropped from the roll of members. His course on the pension bill was the cause.

Melvin C. Carlitz has been sentenced, at Cumberland, Md., to be hanged for wife murder. It simply remains for the governor to fix the date for the execution.

The Mexican press is making fierce attacks upon the scheme to settle colored emigrants from the United States in Mexico and asks the government to discountenance it.

Six men, while boat riding on the Mississippi river, overturned their boat. Three of them were drowned, and the rest were rescued by parties who witnessed the accident from the shore.

Two farmers in Pleasant county, W. Va., named Millan and Cronin, quarreled over the former's attention to the latter's wife. Millan assaulted Cronin, and the latter drew a revolver and shot him dead.

In a wreck which occurred on the New York, Pennsylvania and Ohio railroad, near Kennedy, N. Y., the engineer and baggage master were killed, both firemen were injured, and a passenger was slightly hurt.

A freight train on the Pennsylvania railroad was wrecked at Locust Grove by the rails spreading. Twelve cars were derailed and thrown on their sides. Trains were delayed for a considerable length of time.

Fifteen hundred street employes on a strike at Duluth, Minn., attacked the police Saturday with stones and clubs, compelling them to fire. Two strikers were instantly killed and several dangerously wounded.

The Roman Catholic prayer book authorized by the third plenary council of Baltimore, which met in November, 1884, has been compiled and placed in the hands of the publishers. It will be issued in two weeks.

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George Duane, aged 15 years, was shot and killed at Chicago by James Allen, a night watchman. He and his younger brother had robbed a saloon of a lot of liquor and cigars, and while dividing the booty the officer came upon them. They ran and he fired three shots after them, killing Duane.

Battle Survivors to Meet.

WASHINGTON, July 8.—The survivors of the battle of Monocacy will meet at Frederick City and the battlefield at Monocacy on July 9, the twenty-fifth anniversary of the battle, and will there form a National association.

A Woman Arrested for Murder.

BROOKLYN, July 8.—Mrs. Mary Sibley, of No. 16 Garrison street, yesterday, on being told by her little daughter that a man had acted indecently before her, seized an ax, ran into the front yard and struck the man on the head, fracturing his skull. The man was Frank Cardine, an Italian, aged 26 years. He is dying and Mrs. Sibley is under arrest.

Killed His Partner.

HELENA, Mont., July 8.—Two men named Laville and Jackson, partners, of Marysville, engaged in a quarrel this morning. Jackson drew a pistol and shot Laville through the head, killing him instantly. The murderer escaped.

A London Blaze.

BUFFALO, N. Y., July 8.—Fire yesterday in Hayes & Company's lumber yard at the foot of Erie street, caused a loss of $20,000; fully covered by insurance.

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

Quotations for the Money, Stock, Produce and Cattle Market for July 6.

NEW YORK.—Money at 3 per cent. Exchange steady; governments quiet.

Currency sixes, 118 bid; four coupons, 123½ bid; four and a-halfs, 109¾ bid.

The stock market was very quiet this morning, the only special animation being in Atchison, Lake Shore and New England. Those three stocks attracted most of the speculative interest. Lake Shore was very weak, and declined 1 per cent., the changes in the general list were confined within narrow range. After 11 o'clock upon the publication of the bank statement showing a decrease in the reserves of $2,574,200. There was some pressure to sell which caused prices to close fractionally below those of yesterday. The trust stocks were dull and featureless. The sales for the day amounted to 108,000 shares.

Bur. & Quincy	98¾	Michigan Cent.	89¾
Central Pacific	34½	Missouri Pacific	89¾
C., C., C. & I.	72	N. Y. Central	106¾
Del. & Hudson	115½	Northwestern	105¾
Del., Lack. & W.	140¾	Ohio & Miss.	21¾
Erie	25¾	Pacific Mail	33
Lake Shore	103	St. Paul	67¾
Louisville & Nash.	61	Western Union	85¾

Cincinnati.

WHEAT—75@83c.
CORN—37@42c.
WOOL—Unwashed, fine merino, 18@19c; one-fourth blood combing, 23@25c; medium delaine an 1 clothing, 21@23c; braid, 18@20c; medium combing, 23@24c; three washed, fine merino X and XX, 25@27c; medium clothing, 30@32c; delaine fleece, 34@36c.
HAY—No. 1 timothy, $13 00; No. 2, $8 00; prairie, $7 50@8 00; wheat, oats and rye straw, $5 00@6 00.
CATTLE—Good to choice butchers, $3 40@3 85; fair, $2 65@3 35; common, $1 50@2 50; stockers and feeders, $2 25@2 75; yearlings and calves, $2 50@4 50.
HOGS—Select butchers, $4 40@4 45; fair to good packing, $4 35@4 40; fair to good light, $4 50@4 65; common, $3 75@4 25.
SHEEP—Common to fair, $3 00@3 75; good to choice, $3 85@4 35.
LAMBS—$4 50@6 75.

Pittsburg.

CATTLE—Prime, $4 25; fair to good, $3 75@4 00; common to fair, $3 50.
HOGS—Extreme weights, $4 40@4 50; Philadelphias, $4 40@4 55; Yorkers, $4 30@4 40; medium, $4 50@4 60.
SHEEP—Prime, $4 85; fair to good, $4 50@4 75; common, $2 00@3 00; yearlings, $3 50@5 50.
LAMBS—$5 00@7 00.

Chicago.

HOGS—Fair to good, $4 30@4 55; mixed packing, $4 25@4 45; heavy to choice, $4 25@4 45.
CATTLE—Choice to extra shipping, $3 50@4 10; mixed, $1 50@3 00; stockers and feeders, $2 00@3 30.
SHEEP—Common to choice, $3 25@4 70.
LAMBS—$5 00@8 00 per head.

New York.

WHEAT—No. 2 state red, 88c; No. 2 red winter, August 89c.
CORN—Mixed, 43@43½c.
OATS—No. 2 white, 33½@33½c; No. 2 mixed, August, 33½c.
CATTLE—$2 00@4 50 per 100 pounds, live weights.

Toledo.

WHEAT—Quiet; cash, 88@90c; August, 76½c.
CORN—Quiet; cash, 38½c.
OATS—Quiet; May, 24½c.
CLOVER SEED—Cash, $4 10.

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CALEDONIA has repealed her local option law without an increase of drunkenness and with an encouraging increase of revenue. It is the same old story that is told by all towns that have tried the experiment.

THE Ohio campaign has actually begun, though so far it is only one-sided. The Republican editors do not know who to abuse as yet, while the other side has been busily at work on Foraker for two weeks or more.

CHICAGO claims nearly a million and a quarter population since so largely extending her city limits. This makes it one of the five largest cities in the world. There are many features about Chicago, however, that place her indisputably and exclusively in the first place. They hardly need mentioning.

UPPER SANDUSKY wants to know if we are now satisfied about them having an abundant supply of natural gas. You bet, and this answer applies to the subject of surface as well as subterranean natural gas. But Marion's celebration of two years ago was as far ahead of your recent blow-out as this live city is ahead of your Indian village.

THE Union Labor party meets in state convention in Lima next week, July 11. We are not advised whether Sam Bell and the distinguished Mr. Braddock will represent the Ninth district or not. It will be remembered that Mr. Bell engineered that party's endorsement of Braddock last year. We doubt if the labor vote, as a distinct party, amounts to much this year.

THERE is still much talk on the tariff by many of the great moral engines which mould public opinion. We mistake the feeling of the average newspaper reader if he is not thoroughly tired of the subject. It looks as though such papers had nothing more interesting to write about. For instance, our main street cotemporary might tell what it knows about the Marion postoffice race and how the editor became a candidate.

IT would seem to have been a good time to try modern paving when the west Center street people asked for paving brick. It seems, too, a shame to spend $15,000 for a class of street improvement which ninety-nine out of every hundred citizens desire to see superceded by something better and more modern. If we are to judge by present indications Marion will see no modern paving in the next decade. We shall be like the dashing young maiden with the wardrobe of a premature maiden.

EUREKA, W. T., has reason to regret the carelessness of some of her citizens in handling gunpowder during the celebration of Uncle Sam's birthday. The best portion of the town caught fire from some of the fireworks on the eve of the 4th of July 4 and was literally wiped out of existence by the conflagration that followed. The loss of property runs up into the millions, and it is said that more than one hundred families have been made homeless.

The Usual Conditions.

Mamma—Bobby, I notice that your little sister took the smaller apple. Did you let her have her choice as I told you to?

Bobby—Yes; I told her she could have the little one or none, and she chose the little one.—Omaha World.

That Awful Pocket.

It would seem that women ought to have guiding strings hanging from their pockets to assist in discovery when the contents are needed. How often a poor woman stands scarlet and miserable, hunting for her pocket, while a car conductor stolidly awaits his fare. The writer saw a variation on this. A conductor wanted change for a dollar bill. A girl tendered a handful of small money, at the same time asking to be put off at Eighteenth street. It was then Twenty-third street. The conductor returned the bill and the surplus change. The girl stuffed the bill in her glove and after some hunting seemed to find her pocket and dropped therein the coins. At Twentieth street a sudden wild look came into her eyes, and she began fumbling for the pocket again, and unsuccessfully. Doubt deepened to anxiety and fear to horror on her face. Presently she made a cautious move.

A nickel rolled somewhere on to the floor. She got rigid and began hunting in a different direction. We were nearing Eighteenth street. She pretended not to notice it, and she looked more and more miserable. You see, she had put the coins through the placket hole of her dress, and not in her pocket at all. The conductor motioned. A cent rolled to the floor. The girl would see neither the coin nor the conductor. Then the conductor shouted, while the car waited: "Eighteenth, madam."

"Go on," said the girl.

"But this is Eighteenth street," returned the conductor.

Down went a dime.

"I don't want to get out," the girl answered, tears of rage rising in her eyes.

"Didn't you say Eighteenth?" he said.

"I have changed my mind," the girl answered desperately, a tear and a three cent piece rolling to the floor together.

Well, the writer got out at Ninth street, and she hadn't found either her pocket or the placket hole yet, and the floor was all over small change. She may be riding yet.—New York Sun.

Breaking Petey In.

I saw the smallest newsboy in New York in City Hall park yesterday. He was a little 4-year-old, chubby in face and still a baby; yet he had an armful of papers, including a bundle of Graphics. It was the little fellow's debut as a newsboy and he was surrounded by a dozen or more lads, all older than himself, who were shrieking and yelling like so many Comanches. The wee fat legs waddled past the court house into Chambers street at the head of the queer procession and the childish voice piped: "Ere's ee Noo-ees an' ee Grafeek." "Hey! hey! bully for Petey!" screamed the delighted news boys in chorus. Forgetting their sales for the moment, they were all bent on giving the little chap a start in the business under the best auspices. I stopped and bought a paper.

The big brown eyes looked up into mine and the baby voice chirped: "Tank-kee." "Div 'im de change, Petey," yelled the mob of urchins. "No, my boy; keep it for luck." "Hey! hey!" broke out the storm again, and Petey and the barefooted crowd swept past, the fat little legs just ahead of the others. "We're breakin' him in, boss," explained one of the bigger boys. "He's got nobody ter home, 'cept a gal as is sick, kinder, and Petey's agoin' ter sell papers ter keep de house." "Will he make enough?" I asked. "Bet yer life he will," was the sturdy answer. "Her follies won't see Petey left. He's in trainin' fer de mascot of our baseball club, Petey is, and he'll make big money dis season an' don't yer forget it." And the good hearted lad skipped after the procession which, with Petey still at its head, was now disappearing down Park row.—New York Graphic.

The Pavement of the Future.

The best of all pavements, as has been shown by experience in our own and foreign cities, is made of asphalt. When asphalt pavements first came into use in this country they were largely made with coal tar, and proved defective in many ways; afterward the methods and materials used in the Old World were imported and gave excellent results. * * * The result of the experience of the last ten years has clearly shown that the pavement made with the Trinidad asphalt is equal to any in the world and superior to any other kind of pavement in use. Its excellencies, cleanliness, silence and salubrity are so apparent that no argument is now needed to enforce them, and to these may be added, and placed first on the list, economy; for it costs as little and lasts as long as any other good pavement, and is much less trying to horses, vehicles and human nerves. It is rapidly growing in favor, and it is not too much to say that it is the pavement of the future, and is destined in most localities to supersede all other kinds.—Professor Newberry in School of Mines Quarterly.

Turgenief's Sick Monkey.

Since my reference the other day to the experience of the physician here in Boston who was called upon to attend a sick monkey in the Italian quarter in the North End, I have come across an anecdote in the advance sheets of a new book which illustrates a similar pathetic impression which the sufferings of a sensitive monkey made on a great Russian novelist. In the "Impressions of Russia," by Edmund Brandes, there is a touching story of the tender hearted Turgenief riding all the way on a solitary journey by rail from Hamburg to London holding the paw of a timid monkey who was terrified by the fearful motion and roar of the train. "With a poor, cowed, fettered little monkey's hand in his," says Brandes, "the genius whose spirit had ransacked the universe, hand in hand with the little anthropoid animal, like two kindred mortals, two children of the same mother—there is here more true devotion than in any book of devotion." There was certainly a noble spirit of sympathy in this act of Turgenief, and it helps to account for the hold he has on the human heart that his own should have throbbed so tenderly for the poor little monkey.—Boston Post.

FAMOUS BILLY THE KID.

A COWBOY'S STORY OF THE INNOCENT LOOKING DESPERADO.

He Had Pretty Blue Eyes, but He Was a Holy Terror. All the Same—Recital of One of His Most Daring Deeds—How Pat Garrett Got the Drop on Him.

A feller was askin' this mornin' if I ever met Billy the Kid. Well, I should snicker! I was down that way when the Kid was killed by Pat Garrett, an' know all about it; an' I know, too, that Pat didn't give him a square show for his life. Of course, he'd been a fool if he had, 'cause Billy handled the shootin' irons better than any man in New Mexico. The Kid was, an' no mistake, a holy terror. He was as smooth an' pleasant a lookin' a little feller as you could wish to 'sociate with, but he was like a snake shinin' in the sun, so slick an' shinin', but death was in his touch. He was slim, an' light haired, an' blue eyed, an' his upper teeth stuck out in front an' made him look more innocent than ever. He was a pleasant kind o' feller until he got mad, an' then the dust used to fly just a trifle. I seen Billy kill two men at White Oaks, an' he did the job up clean. They never kicked.

THEY LOOSENED ONE BRACELET.

I was in Santa Fe when Bob Ollinger and Jim Bell brought Bill in after he'd bin arrested. He nearly dug out o' jail there, but they were too slick for him, an' they tuk him for trial to Mesilla. The prince'pal witness agin him was a feller as owed him an old grudge, an' so Billy got it hot. The necktie party was to be held at Lincoln, an' when Bob Ollinger an' Jim Bell tuk him there they put him in an up stairs room next where the deputies kep' their guns an' things. They knew Billy was smart an' always one o' them kep' in the room with him.

The mornin' after they got to Lincoln Billy asked the deputies for old times' sake to loose one of the bracelets he had on, an' as Bob, an' Jim, too, had known Billy for a long time, they thought they couldn't refuse a request like that, so they loosened one bracelet an' left it danglin' by the other wrist.

At dinner time Bob said he was goin' over the way to get somethin' to eat, an' Jim, he was left with Billy. The Kid was draggin' his leg irons with him as he walked about, an' Jim Bell was restin', but lifted his eyes every time the Kid come close to him. All the same, Billy got his work in in great shape, for he watched his chance an' buried the loose bracelet in the skull of the deputy. To make no mistake, he pulled Jim's gun from his boot an' started pumpin' lead into him at a great rate. At the first shot Bob Ollinger jumped from the table where he was eatin' an' said: "My God! there's Billy tryin' to git, and Jim's shot him!" He rushed out an' across the street an' was just shippin' up the stairs when he seed Billy standin' at the top p'intin' a Winchester at him. Next minit Bob dropped, done up in real good style with a bullet through his head. Billy never did no bunglin' work; it was always done slick and neat.

Of course a big crowd got around, but they wasn't all agin Billy. An' when he got the drop on a feller an' told him to come up an' file his irons off, why he did it. When he got free he rode out o' Lincoln, an' nary a man darst try to stop him. Pat Garrett wasn't there then, but when he heard, didn't he cuss? Parties made out to catch Billy, but he got down to the Panhandle, an' after things had toned down he came up into New Mexico agin. Billy had been goin' it purty strong in Lincoln county and no mistake. In the tusslin' back an' forrard his gang got purty well cleaned out, an' Pat Garrett swore he'd get even with him.

EVERYBODY BREATHED FREE.

Billy had taken a fancy to the pretty daughter o' a small ranchman, an' she was sort o' fas mated with him, but the old man wasn't pleased. He knowed Billy'd jest take her away with him when he went, an' if the old man kicked he'd get killed, that's all. Billy wasn't perticular; he'd just as soon kill one man as another. The old man was in a bad fix, when, as luck would have it, Pat Garrett he come along and said he was lookin' for Billy. Now, Billy was keepin' shady at young Maxwell's place, an' the old man put Pat on his trail. Pat got there all right, an' seein' no one around he went inside an' found Maxwell in bed. He denied that Billy was around, but when Pat got the drop on him an' swore he'd shoot him if he didn't talk straight, he confessed that Billy had just gone to the outhouse to get some steak for cookin'.

Pat had just time to drop to kind the bed where young Maxwell was lyin', when in come Billy with his knife in one hand and his gun in the other. The Kid was 'spicious, however, as it didn't smell somethin' was wrong. Comin' from the blindin' sun into the dicky house he couldn't see well, but when he entered he asked, Quien sabe. He was just sayin' the words when Pat put two ball in him before anybody could wink twice.

He hated Pat like poison, an' if he'd any idea that Pat was around, you bet he'd never taken chances, for he was like an Indian, an' just as revengeful. He'd play up to a man an' make him think he was his friend, an' when he got him off his guard he'd kill him. He was a mighty queer lady, who never he got his fingers near a gun there was bound to be a dead man not far away. Why, he could just make a pistol talk, an' when he was around all the boys sung low. I didn't pine much when I heard he was killed; fact is, I thought Billy had somethin' agin me, an' I was lookin' out sharp that he didn't plug a hole in me.—San Francisco Alta.

Mother-in-Law—Charles, whenever you are ready to shoot me the brindle bull I will go with you.

Son-in-Law—You had better put on something warm. Your red shawl will do.—Boston Herald.

PHYSIOLOGY AND HYGIENE.

Many So Called "Weak Hearts" Are Due Merely to Dyspepsia, Tight Lacing, Etc.

A weak heart insists upon putting itself in evidence at all sorts of inconvenient and convenient times. If its possessor finds himself rather late for the morning train and makes a "spurt" to recover lost time, the exertion is usually followed by such a bad quarter of an hour that he resolves rather to lose a dozen trains in future than to risk temporary suffocation or permanent syncope again. The practical evils associated with a weak heart are innumerable and readily suggest themselves to those who have so unsatisfactory a pumping apparatus.

But, according to The Hospital, weak hearts are by no means so common as is often supposed. Many a man, who thinks he has got one is merely dyspeptic; many a woman owes her symptoms to tight lacing or insufficient feeding. If the dyspepsia be cured, or the tight lacing be dispensed with, the symptoms of heart weakness will disappear. Even when the heart is genuinely "weak," the weakness is not always due to special disease of that organ. It may be only part of a general weakness of the whole system, which is easily curable. The late Sir Robert Christison, one of the most eminent of British physicians, used to smile at certain persons who were always complaining of weak hearts. "Gentlemen," he would say to his students when lecturing on digitalis, "gentlemen, the best tonic for a weak heart is a good brisk walk." Not a doubt of it.

The majority of weak, flabby hearts are weak and flabby because every other muscle in the body is weak and flabby, and this general weakness and flabbiness is due to want of vigorous use. Exercise of the legs and back and arms gives additional and much needed exercise to the heart, and the heart grows strong by vigorous exercise exactly as every other muscular organ does, for the heart is a muscle. If a man has no organic disease of the heart, no enlargement, and no functional disorder, plenty of brisk walking, with occasional running, will soon dispel his breathlessness and heart weakness, other things being equal. The muscular inactivity of the modern town man is the parent of more ill health than any other single cause whatever.

Asphyxiation by Gas.

The American Gaslight association of Toronto furnishes the following rules to be observed when persons are overcome by gas:

1 Take the man at once into fresh air. Don't crowd around him. 2 Keep him on his back. Don't raise his head nor turn him on his side. 3 Loosen his clothing and his neck and waist. 4 Give a little brandy and water—not more than four tablespoonfuls of brandy in all. Give the ammoniated mixture some part at once—mix one to sixteen parts water in small quantities, at short intervals—a teaspoonful every two or three minutes. 5 Slap the face and chest with the wet end of a towel. 6 Apply warmth and friction to the body and limbs are cold. 7 If the breathing is feeble or irregular, artificial respiration should be used and kept up until there is no doubt that it can no longer be of use. 8 Administer oxygen.

Wash Your Hands.

The Sanitary Engineer claims that cases of infection that could be accounted for in no other way have been explained by the fingers as a vehicle. In handling money, especially of paper, door knobs, banisters, car straps and a hundred things that every one must frequently touch, there are chances innumerable of picking up germs of typhoid, scarlatina, diphtheria, smallpox, etc. Yet some persons naturally put such things in their mouths if not too large. Before eating, or touching that which is to be eaten, the hands should be immediately and scrupulously washed. We hear much about general cleanliness as "next to godliness." It may be added that here in particular, it is also of real health and safety. The Jews made no mistake in that "except they washed they ate not." It is sanitary or finance as well as an ordinance of decency.

One Thing and Another.

The Lancet strongly recommended for that trying affection, insomnia, is pea nuts eaten an hour before retiring.

The white of an egg beaten up to a froth with two tablespoonfuls of rose water is a remedy for inflamed eyes or eyelids.

For damp beds—a mixture of four ounces each of Colleges salt half an ounce of tincture of belladonna has been advised. Rub the hands several times a day with a little of it.

SOCIAL ETIQUETTE.

The Delightful Garden Lunches of Summer Resorts and Country Places.

A charming form of hospitality in vogue with many a group at summer watering places and among the residents of small cities, where the villas are surrounded by green lawns and trees is the garden lunch. People are asked at 1 o'clock for a good lunch, half in the house and half out. Some of the guests are out under the trees or under tents, and some in sitting rooms where they will not take cold. Afterward all are assembled in the house for music, and they may then go away in time for a drive or an afternoon tea.

Tables are set with pretty awnings, some of yellow, some blue, others pink and so on, and the floral decorations are in the same colors with the awnings. Then within the house the hues emblems should all be of graceful design. The most graceful of the lady who is especially honored may ornament the table and appear on the invites, this can be done by a pencil or, still better, by one of the young ladies of the house.

As for the viands, they can be what pleases gentlemen and ladies to eat for a meal which may be a breakfast salads, chicken, lobster, sweetbreads and peas, ices, fruits and jellies. In small cities and at watering places gentlemen can come to these entertainments and greatly enjoy the hour's outing.

Visible Signs of Refinement.

Unpolished nails with seams ripped and bottoms of dress skirts dragging in the dirt with frayed bottoms half worn off, hats soiled and spotted and ribbons frayed, gloves ripped and fingers missing, and a dress transform the prettiest girl into a shabby creature, and what is much worse, a slipshod character in the person. No amount of beauty or cleverness will atone for slovenliness in dress, and any one who is careless in the matter of clothing cannot be considered a lady, whatever else she may be. Neatness of attire is the best possible evidence of refinement, and a lady is known as such by the fine arts.

YOUNG FOLKS' COLUMN.

ESPECIALLY PREPARED FOR THE GOOD OF BOYS AND GIRLS.

A Short Chapter on Elephants, in Which Is Told Their Leading Characteristics. The Elephant at Peace and the Elephant When Wounded or Enraged.

The elephant, mighty and imposing as it is, when left at peace in its native forests is a gentle, inoffensive, almost timid creature, content to browse indolently upon the juicy leaves and grasses which grow so luxuriantly all around him—at peace with other animals and ready to fly from all contact with man. It is only when wounded that he becomes so terrific from his great size and strength, and the fury with which he singles out and tramples down the man who has dared to attack him.

ELEPHANTS AT PEACE IN NATIVE FORESTS.

Elephants are found in Africa, the continent of India and some of the East Indian islands, but Ceylon may truly be called the home of this lordly animal. In that island they still abound, though their numbers have of late years been much reduced. The opening up of the mountain forests for the cultivation of coffee has forced the animals to retire to the low country, where again they have been followed by large parties of Europeans bent on their destruction. Indeed, had the elephants of Ceylon been provided with tusks, they would long since have been killed for the sake of the ivory, but it is a curious fact that while in Africa and India many elephants of both sexes have tusks, in Ceylon not one in a hundred has those valuable appendages, and those are exclusively males.

A Remarkable Clock.

The most remarkable clock in America, if we consider the place in which it was built, is the one which was made by a miner in the Hallenbeck colliery at Wilkesbarre, Pa. This clock was made out of bits of wood and iron, and with the roughest tools that can be imagined. It was made nearly half a mile under ground, and it occupied the maker nearly nine years before he could say it was done. The clock is nine feet high, and there are sixty three figures, which move by machinery. There are only twenty two moving figures in the Strasburg clock. On the front of the Wilkesbarre clock the one we are speaking of there are three shelves, or ledges.

Along the lower ledge a regular skirmish is constantly going on between Continental soldiers. The liberty bell rings, and the sentinel salutes the procession. A door in the upper balcony opens and shows Molly Pitcher, who fires the historic cannon, the smoke of which is blown away from the interior of the clock by a fan. Then the portraits of the first twenty presidents of the United States pass along in a kind of panorama, the Declaration of Independence being held aloft by Thomas Jefferson. On another of the balconies, the twelve apostles go by, Satan outside of all, and the cock crows for the benefit of Peter. When Christ appears a figure of Justice raises a pair of scales, while a figure of Death tolls the minutes upon a bell.

Poor Dick.

"Lying in bed makes one feel very queer,
I should think I had been here most a year.
The robins are singing, 'Get well dear Jack!'
And bobolinks burbling, 'Come quick—come quick!'

"Birds can have breakfast and then fly away
Nobody tells them 'Enough for to-day'
There are fifty things I should love to eat—
Some porridge with sauce and gravy with meat.

"TOO LITTLE TO DO AND TOO MUCH OVER."

"There is not the least thing to do all day
Till I'm sent to the bed for dinner to stay.
My head is so light and I feel so well
I could dance the light fantastic a spell."

"The room she is in is like a cage I think,
And what are the horses I see on the sink?
They sniff at each other, or nuzzle and feed,
And look just as real as the dear little steed."

—Wide Awake.

Kings After the Conquest

The following jingle appeared many years ago, but it is a good method of being memorized by our youthful readers:

First William the Norman, then William his son,
Henry, Stephen and Henry then Richard and John.
Next Henry the third, Edwards one, two and three.
And seven after Richard: three Henrys we see.
Two Edwards, third Richard, if records I guess.
Two Henrys, sixth Edward, Queen Mary, Queen Bess.
Then James, the Scotchman, then Charles, whom they slew,
But reserved after Cromwell a second Charles, too.
Next James the second ingloriously fled the throne;
Then good William and Mary together were known.
Then Anne, Georges four, and fourth William all past,
And Victoria came, may she long be the last.

Japanese Animals.

A picture of Japanese life, drawn by Professor Morse shows a pleasant relation existing between the human and the brute creation that no Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals is needed. Birds build their nests in the city houses, wild fowl, geese and ducks alight in the public parks, wild deer trot about the streets. He had actually been followed by wild deer in the streets, nibbling melon rind out of his hand, as tame as calves and lambs on our farms.

THE CURIOSITY SHOP.

Humor Among the American Colonists. The Story of "Betts Haddington."

The story of "Betts Haddington" is at least a century old, and its recitation in an old woman's voice in the old fashioned New England dialect used to afford young people no end of amusement in the days of our grandmothers. It is thus given in The Boston Transcript by one who says: "This is the story, as far as I remember it, that my aunt used to repeat to me—a great deal depends upon the way it is told:"

BETTS HADD'STON

As I was sett'n cardin' tow, who should I see but Betts Hadd'nton a ridin' up to the house, up to the door. I got up and shook the shives off my apron, and says I, "Betts, know dew you dew?" for many's the day Betts and I have carded tow together. Says I, "Betts, dew come in and set up. Naow," says I, "Betts, dew eat." And I went daown cellar and brought up doughnuts, some good pound cake, such as anybody'd have, some cheese, sage cheese, some dier drink, made of gill-go-over-the-ground, Robert-run-away, sassafras, checkerberry and such like, good to drink in the spring o' the year to clear the blood. And my husband, he come in, and I gin him the wink for we thought everything of Betts, and when she was married we gin her such sights o' things.

We gin her a great kecler and a little keeler and we gin her three airthen milk pans, they were cracked, to be sure, but I biled 'em in milk and they were jest as good as new, and six airthen plates and cups and saucers. Some of the handles were gone and they wan't all mates. And says I, "Naow Betts, dew eat," and if she eat an ounce, she eat a pound. "Naow," says she, "Miss Bishop, I must be goin', for I have got an ante hoss and a new chay, and I live at that great seaport place Pautucket." Ante hoss and new chay!! As for the hoss, the crows wouldn't have picked him. He was wall eyed and had the spring halt, and never was sound. The chay never was new; it was only second hand to begin with. As for Pautucket, it's no more a seaport than Seakonk Plain, not a bit. As for my husband, he sot keeps by Betts, and I gin him the wink and he says, "Betts, dew come agin."

Growth of Finger Nails.

It has been computed that the average growth of the finger nail is 1-32 of an inch per week, or a little more than an inch and a half per year. The growth, however, depends to a great extent upon the rate of nutrition, and during periods of sickness or of abstinence it is retarded. It is understood to go on faster in summer than in winter, and differs for different fingers, being most rapid in the middle finger and slowest in the thumb, according to one investigator, and in the little finger according to another.

These same two authorities, Berthold and Benham, differ, too, with regard to the equality of growth on both hands, the former holding that the nails of the right hand grow faster than those of the left, but the latter can perceive no difference between them. According to the rate of growth stated, the average time taken for each finger nail to grow its full length is about four and a half months, and at this rate a man of 70 would have renewed his nails 186 times. Taking the length of each nail at half an inch, he would have grown 7 feet 9 inches of nail on each finger, and on all his fingers and thumbs an aggregate length of 77 feet 6 inches.

The Great San Diego Flume.

The San Diego flume is a stupendous affair, measuring about thirty miles in length. In the course of the flume there are 615 trestles, the longest being 1,700 feet in length, 85 feet high, and containing one-quarter of a million feet of lumber. Another trestle is of the same height, and 1,900 feet long, the main timbers used in both of these being 10 by 10 and 8 by 8, being put together on the ground and raised to their position by horse power. The number of tunnels in the course of the flume is eight, the longest of which is 2,100 feet, the tunnels being in size 6 by 6 feet, with convex shaped roofing, each mile of the flume required an average of one-fourth of a million feet of lumber for its construction, and the redwood used entirely in the box is two inches in thickness throughout.

Novelties in Stockings.

A variety of new shades has been brought out in open worked silk stockings—metal gray, vieux rose and brick red among the number. A kind of stocking which has a large sale in France has the fancy open work carried up to the top, and is quite transparent. There are four different patterns in these. There are a few kinds of stockings which are generally useful and meet the wants of thousands. An open work Lisle thread, for example, easily mistaken for silk, and a fourth of the price. Balbriggans, which will stand any amount of wear and tear, and can be had in open work, and the ribbed balbriggan and silk, also of a durable class. All these are of English make, and superior, both in appearance and durability, to the German goods.

The Bed of Justice.

The "bed of justice" (French lit de justice) was properly the seat occupied by the French king when he attended the deliberations of his "parliament." It also means the session itself, or any arbitrary edict. As the members of the "parliament" derived their power from the king, when the king himself was present their power returned to the fountain head, and the king was arbitrary. What he then proposed could not be controverted, and of course had the force of law. The last "lit de justice" was held by Louis XVI in 1787.

How to Read a Book.

Lord Macaulay, in recalling some instances of his childhood, said: "When a boy I began to read very earnestly, but at the foot of every page I read I stopped and obliged myself to give an account of what I had read on that page. At first I had to read it three or four times before I got my mind firmly fixed. But I compelled myself to comply with the plan, until now, after I have read a book through once, I can almost recite it from the beginning to the end."

The Centennial Ox.

The centennial ox, bred by Samuel Barkley, of Somerset county, Pa., was the largest specimen of the bovine the world has ever seen. He weighed 4,000 pounds the day he arrived in Philadelphia. This mountain of beef was of mixed stock, being Shorthorn native "scrub" and Ayreshire, the Shorthorn predominating. After the exhibition was ended the giant ox was butchered and exhibited as "show beef."

Humidity.

The atmosphere is the gaseous envelope that surrounds the earth; it consists of oxygen, nitrogen and carbonic acid, together with a very variable quantity of watery vapor. When more than 80 per cent. of watery vapor is present, the atmosphere is saturated. The 84 per cent. of humidity or wateriness is therefore 84 per cent. of what the atmosphere can carry; that is, it is 84 per cent. of a possible 80 per cent.

A "Sop to Cerberus."

To give a "sop to Cerberus" is to give a bribe to a troublesome customer. Cerberus was the three headed dog stationed by Pluto at the gates of the infernal regions. When any one died the Romans and Greeks placed cakes in the hands of the corpse as a sop to Cerberus, to let them pass unmolested.

THE MODERN MAIDEN.

When fair Aurora calls the Dawn
The golden Day to waken,
And robins on the verdant lawn
The early worms do rake in,
And Sol begins to light the skies
And tint the heaving billow,
My lady in her chamber lies
Asleep upon her pillow.

Oh, beauteous sight! A cheek so fair
On snowy arms reposing,
And lips just parted, rosebuds rare,
Two rows of pearls disclosing.
The light into her chamber streams,
Its bric-a-brac adorning,
And she awakens from her dreams
To greet the golden morning.

She springs from bed: how fair is she
All in her maiden glory,
Like Venus rising from the sea,
As told in classic story;
She opens her door, the charming sprite,
And calls her brother Freddy
To tell her ma the fire to light
And get the breakfast ready!

When she is dressed she goes down stairs
And gives the cook some orders,
Then to the dining room repairs
To mash the young men boarders
The breakfast over up she springs,
And tells her ma and Hannah
To wash the dishes while she sings
And bangs the grand piano.

—Boston Courier

The Government of Washington.

Washington is a city that is governed by the people of all the states of the republic. In electing their representatives in congress the people of the states elect Washington's board of aldermen, and in choosing their president they choose Washington's mayor. For this privilege of controlling the Federal City the country has to pay one-half the expenses of the municipality. In fact, very little money but Uncle Sam's money is ever seen here, and very rarely does any one in Washington get hold of an old bank note. The government pays out nothing but new money, fresh from the money mill. Even the United States treasury is used as a sort of town bank, to which hundreds of Washingtonians go daily to get money changed.

A Child Killer.

Another child killed by the use of opiates given in the form of Soothing syrup. Why mothers give their children such deadly poison is surprising when they can relieve the child of its peculiar troubles by using Acker's Baby Soother. It contains no Opium or Morphine. Sold by H. C. Haberman & Co.

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Outdoor sports are of importance in the estimation of young Americans today. Never before was such interest taken in athletics. Even the attention paid the vulgar tennis who have gone to Louisiana to pound each other is due to the intense, if perverted, admiration of those who admire physical perfection quite as much as it is to the fact that the work of such men affords facility for gambling. Base ball was never before so popular as it is today and altogether, though Americans sports have some bad features, they show that effeminacy is not to be put down as an American attribute.

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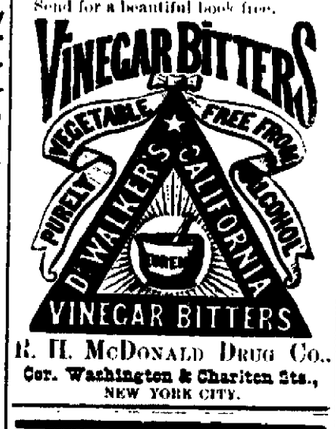

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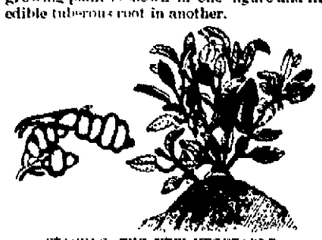
A New Vegetable Which Is Attracting Considerable Attention in Europe and in This Country—How Sportsmen, with the Aid of Photography, Get Big Game.

A novel vegetable, attracting of late considerable attention in Europe and this country, is depicted in the annexed cut, where the growing plant is shown in one figure and its edible tuberous root in another.



STACHYS, THE NEW VEGETABLE.

Stachys tuberifera, formerly Affinis, is the new botanical name of this vegetable, which is a native of north Africa, but comes to us from Japan, where it is called Chiro-gi. It is allied to the English ornamental Woundwort, and belongs to the same family as the colens and the sweet scented herbs, lavender, thyme and mint, but differs from all of its relatives in that it yields edible tuberous roots.

These roots are formed of ring like ridges, giving them the appearance of a one horned caterpillar, as shown in the illustration. It is one to three inches long and one-half to three fourths of an inch in diameter. The skin is thin, smooth and semi-transparent. This peculiar vegetable requires no more special treatment than do potatoes. Planted, whole tubers, in hills two feet apart, a yield at the rate of nearly 500 bushels to the acre has been reported. The plant, growing about one foot in height, has a round, bushy habit, having medium sized oval shaped leaves and many small pink blossoms. The illustration, drawn from nature, shows a plant two months old and before the flowers appear. When the tubers are pickled alone and properly seasoned or mixed with small cucumbers, onions, peppers and cauliflower pickles, they are excellent.

Cooked as "vegetable oysters" they are delicious, or boiled, mashed and seasoned in the way of the egg plant they become a novel dish, having a pleasant and somewhat spicy flavor, midway between the Jerusalem artichoke and boiled chestnuts.

A point in favor of stachys is that the roots may be kept as well as potatoes. In the gardening journals of Europe some discussion has occurred as to a popular name for this vegetable, some suggesting stachys, or spirals, others crosnes, or Chinese artichoke. American Garden, from which the above was taken, thinks that stachys cannot be improved upon.

A Device for Secret Writing.

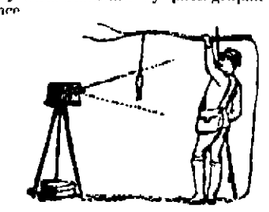
A device for secret writing by means of the typewriter is the subject of a recent invention. It requires two typewriters similarly adjusted. They are so constructed that the types can be shifted from their normal position; so that the operator, striking the key in the usual way, really writes other letters than those in his copy, forming a cipher copy. The receiver adjusts his machine in an opposite direction and writes from the cipher copy, and his machine records the letters of the original copy. The principle, says Mechanical News, is very simple and at once suggests the possibility of applying the principle of the combination lock to such a contrivance for all typewriters, so that each owner of a machine can set it to any combination, which only he and his correspondent should know. This must be feasible; and if the new invention is of any use at all its usefulness would be much increased by such a plan.

Antiseptics in Drinks and Foods.

Since salicylic acid has been prohibited for the preservation of drinks and foods, some brewers have undertaken to use benzoic acid for the preservation of beers. In doses of five to six grams to the hectolitre, benzoic acid, if not especially poisonous, is at least active in preventing to a noticeable extent the assimilation of the albuminoids, and in modifying the mucous secretions. From this result digestive troubles in those persons who continue to use it for any length of time. Notwithstanding the small amount used industrially, it is probable that this use should be prohibited, as is that of salicylic acid. All antiseptics interfere with the normal digestive powers of the human system, and consequently with proper nutrition, and it is necessary that their use in the industries should come to an end, says Science.

Of Interest to Sportsmen.

The tendency of sportsmen to relate remarkable stories of their adventures and successes is so well known that they often experience difficulty in impressing their friends with their veracity. Here the camera comes to their aid, for, certainly, no one can hesitate to believe the most wonderful "fish" story when confirmed by photographic evidence.



A "FISH" STORY CONFIRMED.

The accompanying cut from La Nature explains itself, and shows how easy it is to add to the size and weight of an insignificant specimen of game, whether fish or fowl. All that is necessary is to use the camera with a great depth of focus, and place the game much nearer to it than is the sportsman. The law of optics will complete the deception and bestow upon him an undeserved reputation.

A Neat Carriage Duster.

Pretty dusters for carriages are made of embroidered butcher's linen, with a border of red, done in cross or marking stitch, with a large monogram in the center. They will wash easily and always be fresh and neat and keep the clothes from getting dusty.

ALL AROUND THE HOUSE.

Pretty and Serviceable Yachting Pillows in Appropriate and Nautical Style.

The very latest in fancy work for young ladies is to make yachting pillows for the gentlemen of their acquaintance who happen to own yachts. Every one who has ever "sailed the ocean blue" knows how necessary to comfort are sofa pillows in the cabin; every one wishes to doze or loll about, pillows are in demand, and there can't be too many of them. The pillow exclusively for yachts is covered with navy blue sateen that is laced on to the pillow on either side by a white cord and tassel. This gives it a nautical appearance at once. Have a design of the yacht stamped on one side of the blue covering, and work in outline stitch with white silk. On the reverse side have the name of the yacht stamped in large letters in old English text, and also work with white silk in outline stitch. They are very pretty, easily done, and a most appropriate present. If one desires to give still more, an ensign flag to match is attractive, with the initials of the owner worked upon the blue field as well as the name of the yacht.

Concerning Moths.

"The damage by moths is done when the millers begin to fly," explains The Upholstery Review, "as their very presence indicates the absence of the worm." Carpets are seldom troubled with moth worms except where hatched in a dark, unprotected space, and where it is moderately warm. Nearly all the trouble from moths emanates from the furniture, the burlap inside the outer covering being their best field for work, where they can be free from annoyance and find plenty to eat. Many furniture dealers realize their danger, and cleanse the burlap used with naphtha.

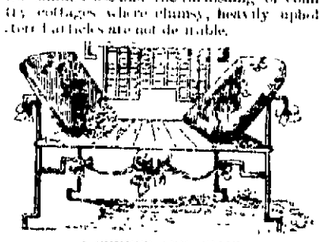
The authority quoted says: "Cleansing carpets by the naphtha process is regarded as the surest and most satisfactory where there is the slightest suspicion of moth eggs or worms. It is especially adapted to pile carpets. Caution should be exercised as to the purity and clearness of the naphtha used and the thorough extraction of the grease, else the dirt adheres more easily than before. Where carpets are to remain in storage some time the odor can be left in the carpet. A more thorough cleansing can be assured by having the carpet beaten first. A surface application of naphtha will drive the impurities through the article, to be absorbed by that which is under it.

A Rose Jar.

Gather rose leaves when they are not in the least damp and place them in your jar, with the following essential oils sprinkled between them: Cloves, cinnamon, neroli, lavender, lemon and rosemary. Keep the jar closed tightly, opening it when the delightful perfume will fill the room. A rose leaf pillow may be perfumed in the same manner, only placing them between cotton batting, tacking them to and putting it between the lining and outside covering of a sofa pillow.

An Attractive Bit of Furniture.

The cut shows a light, cool, attractive bit of furniture of a style that commends itself for summer use and the furnishing of summer cottages where clumsy, heavily upholstered affairs are not desirable.



A SUMMER ARM CHAIR.

This peculiar piece is in bamboo, with sides, back and seat in fancy wicker work, daintily set off with ribbon bows. The light cushions are filled with down and covered with soft Oriental silk.

Water Ices.

Water ices furnish an elegant form of refreshment that can be offered at informal afternoon teas or even during a call, and being less heavy than ice cream, are more acceptable in the summer season to many people than the latter. Following are two good recipes:

Currant Ice—A pint of currant juice, a pint of syrup made by boiling sugar and water till it will form a little thread between thumb and finger and the whites of three eggs made into a meringue and frozen the usual way.

Pineapple Ice—Peel and grate a pineapple, then pound it in a mortar with six ounces of sugar and let it stand for about an hour. Then add the juice of four or five oranges and a pint and a half of the boiled sugar syrup; mix thoroughly and freeze.

Jelly Making.

Jellies should stand open a day or two, after being put into glasses, that the moisture may evaporate, but they should be protected from dust. If thin, let them stand in the sun's rays. In a day or two cut papers to fit the glasses; dip these in brandy, alcohol or white of egg, and press them closely on the top of the jelly. A very old fashioned method is to pour melted butter or clean mutton fat on top and let it harden. All jellies and preserves should be so covered, then, if mold appears, it can easily be removed without wasting the fruit. Finally put on the glasses the covers made for that purpose, or cover with paper, pasting the edges down.

Fitting Up Odd Corners.

Corners in rooms are a little hard to furnish if one's supply of cabinets and occasional tables happens to be limited. A pretty fashion, however, is to fit up odd corners with little cases for books, which always look well in a room. A carpenter can put three shelves in the desired corner, placed about sixteen inches apart. They should be of black walnut or plain oak, coated with copal varnish. Little curtains of some dainty Indian gauze, in coloring to correspond with the furniture, may be used with advantage, and will look very charming. The top of this little book case may be ornamented with a few choice pieces of china or bric-a-brac.

Caramel Fruit.

Take one pound of loaf sugar, break it up small, put into a pan and pour over it one pint of water, put it on the fire and let it boil to crack, or 310 degs. Have ready some different kinds of fruit, such as three cherries in a bunch, one green gage, three grapes, a large bunch of red currants, two damsons, a section of an orange, one eighth of an apple, three raspberries tied together, two strawberries, half an apricot or any other fruit in season; mind that they are all perfectly dry. Have a tin plate oiled or buttered, and, as you dip the fruit into the caramel, place on this tin, the best side uppermost.

To Clean Gilding.

Gilt cornices may be cleaned by washing well with warm milk and rubbing with a soft wash leather. Gilding is also cleaned by washing it lightly and rapidly with warm water in which an onion has been boiled. Dry it by rubbing with soft cloths.

WHAT SHALL WE WEAR?

FASHIONS OF THE DAY IN HATS, BONNETS AND GOWNS.

Hats and Bonnets of Various Sizes and Shapes—All About the New Flower Hats—Novelties in Tennis Shirts and Jackets Described.

Conspicuous among fashions are the flower bonnets and hats. The strings to the bonnets are usually of black lace or narrow velvet, and there is generally a looped bow somewhere among the flowers. The velvet may be black, or of the tender green of the leaf. White lilac, lilies of the valley, mignonette, moss rose buds, honeysuckle, pink or tea roses, etc., are among the flowers most seen, or the whole bonnet is of moss, grass or leaves, with a little bunch of flowers lightly put in.

A STYLISH HAT.

The small round hats resemble, in some cases, the top of a round box, smothered in flowers. Others are very large, veiled in tulle, with all colors of roses apparently tossed on; and again, others are entirely of semi-transparent colored tulle or white lisse, with leaves lavishly adjusted. In the cut is illustrated a large hat of lace straw, bordered with a brim of solid straw, which is covered with puffings of cream net and garlands of tinted leaves and large roses, over which hover butterflies suspended at the top of a long pin. The bows are in pale lemon and Nile green velvet, a ruching of cream net surrounds the brim, which is filled in under the center with rosettes of baby ribbon.

With many of the hats plain tulle veils are worn. These are sufficiently long to cross at the back and tie in a bow under the chin.

Black lace bonnets are much the fashion. A wreath of crevette colored roses had been combined with an upstanding bow of black lace in the center and brier stems round. A brilliant empurpled crepe bonnet had three jet stars in front and a black wing on either side, like Mercury's helmet.

The Season's New Gloves.

It is almost impossible to believe the number of shades or tones of color represented in the gloves. Beside, through many gradations, tones to gray, while there are many grays which shade to quite another kind of green. In French kid there have thick crochet backs, and there is a new introduction of much narrower crochet backs, which are now the fashion. The tan or serpent blues, blue grays, gray grays, tea greens—indeed, all the innumerable shades to be found in the dresses of the period can be matched exactly in gloves. Colors that are ugly in themselves look well when they assimilate with the dress.

There is a large choice in fawn shades; some verge almost to yellow, some to drab and some to brown. There are two qualities in suedes; there is still a great demand for the best, but the public are beginning to realize that French kid lasts twice as long. A novelty in the season's gloves is that the buttons exactly match the tone of the kid. There are two new shades—a positive mouse and the exact tint of wash leather, which is, perhaps, the color of all others that goes best with light summer dresses. There is a demand also for the pinky form of drab, which accords well with some of the new tapestried dresses. The old fashioned ruffs green is coming in again, and vieux rose gloves are to be had.

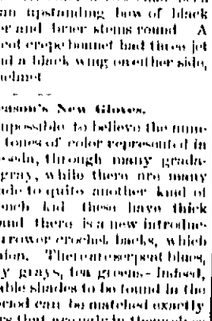
Neck Scarfs and Ties for Men.

Neck scarfs for spring and summer have white or very light grounds, and are smaller and less puffed than those worn in the winter. The narrowly folded Ascot scarfs and the four in hand scarfs tied by the wearer are the fashionable choices, and are worn in light colors in morning and afternoon alike; the materials are China silk, armures, satins, China crape and foulards. In dark colors navy blue foulard and grayish blue with large white designs or bold stripes are preferred. For traveling and general wear are neat scarfs of washing silk in small broken plaids, checks or stripes of black, blue, or brown on white, or else with lines of gayer colors; these are made up in sailor knots.

For June weddings are white China crape scarfs with brocaded designs of small sprigs or wide cross stripes. Windsor ties—wide bias scarfs to be tied in a bow with ends—are shown for summer wear in white China crape with red or blue brocaded flowers, and in soft twilled silks with stripes of two shades of one color or in contrast. A novelty for summer is the flannel scarf made of the new silk and wool flannels used for shirts, the ground of white with stripes of colored silk. The wash scarfs, also for summer, are of pale blue, pink, or buff Madras or French gingham, with white dots embroidered in clusters. Narrow folded ties of white lawn are for full dress.—Harper's Bazar.

The New Tennis Shirt and Jacket.

As all the younger women throughout the land are more or less interested in tennis the illustration here presented of a new tennis shirt and jacket will doubtless be welcome.



TENNIS SHIRT AND JACKET.

The shirt may be made of white cambric or pique, or of the colored shirting affected by men for summer wear. These shirts differ little, if at all, in appearance from those worn by men. A belt is worn with the tennis shirt that gives it a blouse like finish, so one may appear in it without a jacket in hot midsummer days. The jacket is made of light weight cheviot and the revers are faced with silk. This last mentioned garment is also serviceable for yachting, and may be worn with or without the shirt, although the combination as shown in the cut is considered the correct style.

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EASTWARD.

	No. 8.	No. 10.	No. 12	No. 16
Lv. Chicago	10.00§	8.45§	7.30§	5.25§
" Archer Avenue	10.10	8.55	7.39	5.43
" Englewood	10 30	9.15	7.50	6.05
" Hammond	11 00	9.45	8.20	6.40
" Crown Point	.....	10.19	8.50	7.15
" Kouts	.....	11.01	.....	7.58
" North Judson	.....	11 31	* 9.37	8.25
" Rochester	1.15§	12.35§	11.01	.....
" Akron	.....	1 01	*11.21	.....
" Newton	1 51	1.25	11.43	No. 18
" Bolivar	.....	1.28	.....	.....
" Huntington	2.50	2 35	12.25§	5.25§
" Kingsland	.....	3.19	.....	* 6.15
" Decatur	3 48	3.50	1.19	6.52
" Enterprise	.....	4 26	1.50	7.40
" Spencerville	.....	4 56	2.14	8.24
" Lima	4.25	5.25	2.50	8.55
" Preston	.....	5.55	.....	* 9.40
" Kenton	5.06	6 30	3 25	10.28
Ar. Marion	5 55	7.30	4.10	11.30§
" New York	5.00	.....	7.00	.....
" Boston	10.10	.....	12.40§	.....

WESTWARD.

	No. 1.	No. 3.	No. 5.	No. 17.
Lv. New York	.....	3.00	8.30§	.....
" Boston	.....	8.30	3.00§	.....
Lv. Marion	8 05§	11 20	12 55	3 15§
" Kenton	8 50	12 05	1.35	4.00
" Preston	9 17	.....	.....	* 5.34
" Lima	9 45	1.05	2.19	5.55
" Spencerville	10 14	.....	.....	6.40
" Enterprise	10 45	1.50	3.03	7.26
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" Newton	1.54	4 03	4.58	.....
" Akron	2 22	.....	.....	No. 15
" Rochester	2 48	4 45	5.48	.....
" North Judson	3 51	.....	.....	5.50§
" Kouts	4.21	.....	.....	6.22
" Crown Point	5 16	.....	.....	7.11
" Hammond	6 03	7.25	8.00	7.50
" Englewood	6.30§	7.55	8 30	8.20
" Archer Avenue	7 00	8.15	8.50	8.40
Ar. Chicago	7 10	8.25	9.00	8.50

Nos. 8, 12, 10, 3, 5 and 15 daily. Where time is not shown trains do not stop. Nos. 17 and 18 daily except Sunday. * stop on signal. § p.m. 8 a.m.

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Taking Effect May 12th, 1889.

(Central Time.)

NORTH BOUND.

River Division.	No. 3, daily except Sunday.	No. 7, mixed, daily except Sun
Leave Pomeroy	3.30 p m	5.00 a m
" Gallipolis	4.24 p m	6.45 a m
" Arrive Parkersburg Junct	5.58 p m	9.40 p m
Hocking Valley Division.	No. 1, daily	No. 3, daily
Leave Athens	7.00 a m	6.05 p m
" Logan	8.15 a m	7.20 p m
" Lancaster	8.58 a m	8.03 p m
Arrive Columbus	10.45 a m	9.20 p m

Toledo Division.	No. 1, daily ex. Sund	No. 5, daily.	No. 3, daily.
Leave Columbus	10.35 a m	4.00 p m	4.30 a m
" Delaware	11.30 a m	4.54 p m	5.21 a m
" Prospect	11.55 a m	5.18 p m	5.45 a m
" MARION	12.40 p m	5.58 p m	6.07 a m
" Upper Sandusky	1.40 p m	6.30 p m	6.55 a m
" Carey	1.59 p m	6.50 p m	7.15 a m
" Fostoria	2.02 p m	7.22 p m	7.40 a m
Arrive Toledo	3.25 p m	8.40 p m	9.10 a m

SOUTH BOUND.

Toledo Division.	No. 6, daily.	No. 2, daily.	No. 4, daily ex. Sund
Leave Toledo	5.30 p m	5.10 a m	10.35 a m
" Fostoria	6.50 p m	6.30 a m	11.52 a m
" Carey	7.20 p m	6.55 a m	12.20 p m
" Upper Sandusky	7.55 p m	7.30 a m	12.55 p m
" MARION	8.35 p m	8.10 a m	1.33 p m
" Prospect	8.57 p m	8.28 a m	1.54 p m
" Delaware	9.24 p m	8.53 a m	2.20 p m
Arrive Columbus	10.10 p m	9.45 a m	3.15 p m

Hocking Valley Division. No. 6, daily. No. 4, daily

Leave Columbus	8.00 a m	4.00 p m
" Lancaster	9.18 a m	5.23 p m
" Logan	10.08 a m	6.20 p m
Arrive Athens	11.15 a m	7.30 p m

River Division.	No. 6, daily except Sunday.	No. 10, mixed, daily except Sun
Leave McArthur Junct	12.05 p m	8.30 p m
" Gallipolis	1 40 p m	11.41 p m
Arrive Pomeroy	2.32 p m	1.15 a m

NOTE ON RUNNING OF TRAINS.

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Trains depart from Marion, O., as follows:

WESTWARD. DEPART.

No. 1, Cincinnati express	10.50 a.m.
No. 7, Vestibule limited, daily	12.34 p.m.
No. 3, Cin'ti., Cle. & St. Louis Ex., daily	11.59 p.m.
No. 51, Local	9.20 a.m.

EASTWARD. DEPART.

No. 12, New York and Boston Ex., daily	4.30 a.m.
No. 4, Chautauqua express	12.45 p.m.
No. 8, Vestibule limited, daily	6.09 p.m.
No. 38, Local	2.00 p.m.

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FOR SALE—House and lot on Oak street; $550 cash or $660 on time.

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FOR SALE—Two houses and lots for $600 each, on Reed avenue, East Marion.

FOR SALE—House and lot, corner east Center and Reed avenue, now occupied by Tom Smith. Posession given as soon as court sets.

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FOR RENT.—After July 1st, desirable rooms over Coffy & Stone's store. Inquire of Sam T. Beerbower [196 1w

FOR RENT.—Furnished room, front on first floor. Inquire at No. 68 north East street. [192 tf

FOR RENT.—The rooms occupied by L. C. Sanford. Call at Sanford's crockery store. 202f

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—Miss Ethel Clark is the guest of friends in Galion.

—Leave your order for nice cherries with Coffy & Stone 201f

—C. E. Wyatt was looking up business at Delaware today.

—Lock Ireland was looking about the city of Delaware today

—John Shroeder Sundayed at Delaware, the guest of his parents.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Kishler Sundayed with relatives at Cardington

—Mrs. A. C. Court and son, Wallace, spent Sunday in Green Camp

—Mrs John Denny has returned home after a few days' visit at Zanesville, O

—Homer Johnston has arrived home from Oberlin to spend the summer vacation

—Mrs. O. W. Johnston spent Sunday at her parents' home at Little Sandusky, O

—Sherman Shultz is taking a ten days lay off and will spend a few days in Toledo.

—Mrs. Rev. W. M. Andrews, of Akron, is visiting S. Stengel and wife, in this city.

—Scott Ramer and Frank Doner, of Caledonia, Sundayed with friends in this city

—Geo. C. Clement has removed his Troy laundry agency to the Model, opp. Hotel Marion.

—H. D. Stockton, of Prospect, was circulating among friends in this city, Saturday evening.

—Mrs. Addie Crumb, of Lewis Center, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Wyatt in this city

—H. D. Lynch returned to this city today after a few days visit with his parents at Cleveland

—The drawing of the gold watch at Claude Walters' billiard parlor will take place this evening.

—Miss Minnie Herrick, of Chicago, is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. F. W. Thomas, on west Center street.

—Mrs. E. Huber returned home from Cincinnati Saturday, and Miss Kate Huber returned at the same time from Dayton

—To be sure of securing tomorrow's paper containing full account of Sullivan Kilrain fight, leave orders today at Wiant's

—Mrs. James Hinds was called to Adelaide Saturday evening by the dangerous illness of her father, N. C. Mitchell, at that place.

—Mrs. George E. Smith entertained a merry party of little folks today in celebration of the birthday anniversary of Master Clarence.

—Miss Lucia May Wiant has arrived from Franklin, Ind., where she has been teaching elocution, to spend the summer at her parents' home.

—Work on the Gracely Shaffner buildings is progressing finely. The foundation and cellar is now completed and the brick work will commence at once

—A little daughter of Henry Nichols aged 2 years, residing in Loveland, died Sunday morning. The funeral took place at 4 p. m. from the house today

—The weekly drill of the Marion Light Guards will be postponed until Thursday evening at 8:30 o'clock.

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FOR SALE—Nice vacant lot on west South street for $600

FOR SALE—Nice residence lot on Windsor St., near C. A. Moore's residence, for $500.

FOR SALE—House and lot on on Boulevard for $1500

FOR SALE—Vacant lot on Jefferson street for $300.

FOR SALE—Nice corner lot on Greenwood street, near new Huber shops, for $500.

FOR RENT—House and lot on south Main street. Also a house of eight rooms on north Main street.

—Harry R. Young left this afternoon for Cleveland on a short business trip.

—Hilton Deegle has returned home after an extended visit with relatives and friends at Delaware and vicinity.

—Will have a large supply of nice cherries for canning Tuesday morning.

201-2t COFFY & STONE.

—Miss Jennie Hopkins, accompanied by Miss Alice and little Edgar Dombaugh, has been spending a few days at DeCliff and LaRue.

—Stephen Kerr has been appointed administrator of the remainder of the Kerr estate, since the compromise and breaking of the will.

—The second annual picnic of the Singer Mutual association, to take place at the fair grounds in this city, has been postponed from July 29th to August 17th

—W. G. Winnek has returned from his Iowa trip, and is at his post again. His daughter is convalescent, and her many friends hope she will be restored to perfect health.

—We understand Col. Cooper is in the city. The gentleman has not been a conspicuous guest, if he is here, but is probably making a still hunt to get at the situation exactly.

—Cleveland Press: Frank Post, while hunting near Galion, carried his gun by the muzzle and tried to pull it through the fence. Of course it went off and Frank had his lung blown out.

—I offer my entire stock of hats and flowers and a general line of summer millinery at prices much below cost. Summer gloves and hosiery at reduced prices.

[195tod 2w] LAURA HARDY.

—A card from Columbus requests us to express "thanks to the young people who tendered the lovely serenade to Mrs. P. E. Amack, of Columbus, O., while visiting in your city last week the guest of Miss Anna Hobbs."

—This will be the last week that you will have the opportunity of getting goods at cost at Sanford's. 202tf

—Judges Marvin and Dickey, prominent Cleveland attorneys, were in the city today to try some of the waterworks cases in which the New Philadelphia Pipe Works Co. is interested. The cases were continued for one week.

—Burglars entered the residence of E. Brown and W. Oberlin, on west Center street, one night last week and secured a small sum of money and a few trinkets. Entrance was gained through the windows by breaking the shutters.

—Milton Augenstine has returned to this city and is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Augenstine, on south Main street. Mr. Augenstine is now a resident of Dana, Ill., where he holds a position in the telegraph office in that city.

—F. N. Zachman died at the home of his son Michael, near Bethlehem, Saturday evening, aged 84 years and 7 months. The funeral took place at 10 o'clock a. m. today from the house, Rev. Hensley officiating. The remains were interred in the Marion cemetery.

—All readers of history are familiar with the life of Robert Emmet and his struggle for Ireland's liberty. Go to Music Hall Monday night. The drama in three acts and three tableaux will present his life in brief, and will include the speech he made before Lord Norbury.

—J. F. Reather has gone to Columbus, where he has accepted a position as nurse in the insane asylum. Mr. Reather leaves our city with the best of recommendations, he having been employed here for some time, and he will no doubt meet with success in his new position

—Our $1.25 silk umbrellas is the best ever offered for sale in our city at that price. We are making very low figures on light colored stiff hats, and straw goods for men, boys and children. We guarantee a bargain on every article you buy at our closing out sale JOHN L. FRITZ.

—Wm. H. Starkey, residing eight miles north of town, met with a very painful accident Saturday evening, at his home. While tying a steer in its stall the animal kicked him in the corner of the mouth, cutting a severe gash extending almost to his right ear. Dr. Lake, was called who attended his injuries and reports him doing well.

—Peter Nicholson, the purchaser of the water pipes, was in the city today, expecting the court to hear his prayer to have the sale set aside. Mr. Nicholson says the sheriff can give him no clear title to the pipes sold and he does not wish to spend as much in litigation to hold the pipes as he paid in buying them at sheriff's sale. He wants his $13,800 back again.

—Ohio State Journal: Now, why didn't somebody think of this before? The Sussex, N. Y., Agricultural society has offered a hundred dollars premium for the best and fastest walking team of horses to be driven in farm harness to farm wagons. A trotting, pacing or running horse is of but little value to a farmer. In doing all kinds of farm work and hauling his horses walk, and a fast-walking as compared with a slow walking team would save him hundreds of dollars annually. Let us have premiums for the fastest walking horses at all our fairs

To Property Owners.

The Mechanics' Library association invites propositions for the lease of a suite of rooms adapted to the purpose of the library and reading rooms of said association. A lease of not less than five years is desired. Location must be central, and second floor preferable, but third floor propositions will be considered.

File propositions by July 15th, with the secretary.

By order of the board.

GEO. B. CHRISTIAN, Pres.
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A NEW DEAL MADE

The Scioto Water Company Secures Other Land for Reservoir Purposes and Will Push the Work of Building.

Rather than be tied up and delayed by increasing litigation the Scioto Water company has made a wise move and purchased thirty two acres of land, adjacent to the Bullock reservoir land on the north. The land was secured at a reasonable figure by having T. J. Mahaffy purchase it of C. J. Bippus for farm land, and Mahaffy in turn transferred it to the Scioto Water company. The land purchased furnishes the same water resources as that under litigation, and a clear title is secured at a moderate figure without all the fussing. The fellows opposed to the condemnation suit will probably now enjoy the delight of getting farm land prices for the old Bullock hole, a figure two thirds less than that allowed in the condemnation suit, but which would have been readily paid if the litigation had not driven Howland & Ellis to make other arrangements.

Work will shortly begin in earnest, surveyors are busy on the newly purchased land now, and Howland & Ellis are giving encouraging assurance that the Marion waterworks will be ready for operation and acceptance by November first, next

DELEGATES ARRIVING

The Annual Meeting of the C. T. A. U., of Ohio, Promises To Be a Large and Interesting One.

All along today delegates to the State meeting of the C. T. A. U., of Ohio, have been arriving, and were received by the local committees and placed in able hands for entertainment. The afternoon trains brought increased numbers, and the night trains are expected to bring still more, so that all in all there will be between three and four hundred strangers in the city. They are being quartered at private houses generally, in which way ample entertainment has been provided

The visitors tonight will be treated to the rendition of Robt Emmet at Music Hall and a banquet served afterwards.

The Union will hold open session at Music Hall tomorrow, to which all are welcome to attend

12th Annual Bee Line Excursion.

At the urgent request of quite a number regular patrons, the Bee Line and Big Four will arrange for one of their popular, personally conducted Excursions to Kansas, Colorado, Salt Lake, Rocky Mountains and Pacific Coast, under the management of the experienced excursion agent, Mr. D. Jay Colliver. In order to accommodate all and give ample time to prepare for a visit to the far west, Tuesday, July 22d, has been selected as the date leaving Cleveland, Cincinnati, Columbus, Dayton, Springfield and Indianapolis. Bee Line agents at each point named, will be provided with full instructions and can give full information regarding rates, routes, etc. Address them or D. Jay Colliver, Bee Line Pass. Agt., 179 Superior street, Cleveland, O.

NOTE—Ask any of our former patrons how the Bee Line takes care of their excursionists

C. and A. Railway Notes

[Huntington Herald.]

Engine No. 23 is laid up in the round house for repairs on driving wheels and driving boxes

Conductor Daw had his caboose stove in rather badly on the night of the Fourth by the switch hands in the yards here. He lost a round trip while it was being repaired. Conductor Day's seat was somewhat injured at the same time

The fifth section of 82 a Wabash meat train ditched two cars of meat at Rochester on Thursday. The wreck was caused by a crippled car. Conductor Folk, with his crew, took the wreck train out. Trains 10 and 8 were delayed about five hours, which was a great inconvenience to 8th of July excursionists

Tourists.

Whether on pleasure bent or business should take on every trip a bottle of Syrup of Figs, as it acts most pleasantly and effectually on the kidneys, liver and bowels, preventing fevers, headaches and other forms of sickness. For sale in 50c and $1 bottles by all leading druggists

Wanted a Change.

Waiter (at club testimonial)—Ready with your order, sah?

City Sportsman (back from a week's fishing)—Give me some fish; I'm tired to death of other things.—New York Weekly

Caledonia.

Ed Marggraf, of Boston, Mass., is at home with his parents for the summer. He preached at the Universalist church Sunday morning to an interested audience. Ed is the pastor of a Boston suburban congregation and he has the interested well wishes of all his acquaintance. We are proud of him

E. L. White, of Marion, was on our streets and relatives in town Sunday

Misses Lewis, Minnie and Maude Hopshire left today for Iowa to visit relatives for a couple months

Jas. Irvin and family of Claridon were in town Sunday the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Dance.

The Fourth with its burst of crackers and glare of red chairs, has passed and the village has resumed its wonted placidity. But this is a physical calm and must be considered distinctly from the social condition, for there is frequent outbursts of wrath and gusts of wind in consequence of the "racket" that struck us and swept the "whole of one man from his equilibrium." The row is something pretty in taking the first grievously it feels whereas "all hollow." Unless these remarks should appear unintelligible we might add that we refer to a reminiscence of a conflict between our school board and "the will of the people." Look out for political weather!

By the way, speaking of things political, we are generally a quiet people in everything except local politics. State and national politics does not excite us much, and unless some rampant radical meddles the "bulls" with the gory brick we manage to retain our serenity

The council by a vote of 5 to 1 have repealed the local option ordinance. The ayes, of course, advance reasons as to the wisdom of this act, but it certainly seems the better thing to do. There is the objection of insurance people to making concessions to the law enforcement, but to consider it practically it is better to have the revenue arising from the sale of the liquor than to allow it to go on undisturbed with but little decrease in the amount of drunkenness. There was not enough unanimity of sentiment to enforce the law against illegal selling. Pub. after all it is public sentiment that makes the laws.

July 7th. W. M. P.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Fair weather; no decided change in temperature; variable winds, becoming south-easterly

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The Sullivan-Kilrain Fight.

Information concerning the great Sullivan Kilrain mill is somewhat varied, and consequently may be a little unreliable. The dispatch received this forenoon, and posted at Wiant's, stated that the big Boston boy had knocked out his adversary in eight rounds. Then a later report stated that Sullivan and Kilrain were arrested but nothing reliable received.

A still later dispatch, however, received at this office at 3 p. m. says that a bulletin from New Orleans reports that Sullivan had won the fight on the ninety second round the fight ending at 10 o'clock.

The reports came through the American Press Association and under ordinary circumstances could be depended upon, but under stress of the proceedings there are grounds to consider them unreliable.

An Experiment in Convict Treatment.

The physical discipline to which they were subjected consisted in (1) hot baths—three weekly, the Turkish and common bath alternating, (2) massage—kneading of the muscles, passive motions of the joints, and friction of the entire surface, (3) physical exercise—manual drill, free gymnastics and exercise with dumb bells ranging progressively from three to eight pounds in weight, (4) the substitution of a special dietary for the regular prison fare. The experiment was continued during five months—long enough to demonstrate the value of the method, but not to determine the full measure of success probably attainable by these means. At the end of this period, nine of the eleven men then living had risen from the third or refractory to the intermediate grade, the remaining two having merely maintained their original standing in this grade.

During the six months immediately preceding the experiment, the average marking for shop work, school work and conduct had been 46 per cent. During the experiment, the average for school work, previously lowest of all, rose to 71 per cent., the conduct improving at about equal rate. Shop work was discontinued, as the special training was thought to secure enough muscular exercise. During the six months following the term of the experiment, the average marking of the men in the three departments of shop work, school work and conduct rose to 71 per cent as compared with 46 per cent. for the six months preceding the experiment. At the end of this period Dr. Wey reported that although the men had been remanded to the former routine of prison life, mental development was still going on, six of the number had reached the first grade in school work, and two of the remaining five had every prospect of doing so."—Frances F. White, M. D., in Popular Science Monthly.

Aged.

An Irishman was ordered to make a coffin, which he did, and to paint the inscription on the lid, which he did after a fashion that caused a little excitement in the churchyard.

By direct following the written copy, he managed to get as far as "Michael O'Rafferty, aged —," but, try as he would, he could not imitate the 2s.

At last he remembered that he could write 7, and that four 7s made 28. So he finished the inscription, "aged 7777." When they came to bury Michael, the coffin stood at the grave side, and the priest spoke as follows.

"Ah, he was a fine lad. How long there so still, taken away in the very prime of life. Young he was, too, only"—Here the priest looked down at the coffin plate to see how old Michael was.

"He was only," said his reverence again, and he put his glasses on and went nearer, to see how old he really was. "He was only," he continued, "seven thousand seven hundred and seventy-seven years."—Christian at Work

Not Angels Yet.

The reformers are not angels yet—not quite—and it is possible that they may make mistakes and are responsible for a good deal of injustice and unnecessary suffering. The trouble is that we go upon the theory that we are always right and that the other fellows are always wrong; that orthodoxy is our doxy, while heterodoxy is the other fellow's doxy.

As we limited a little way back, perhaps we'd better go slow in our all good reforms and be very considerate and charitable and tolerant while we are about it.

The will of the majority embodied in a statute will not change human nature, and policeman's club never convinces its victim that what he believes is right is morally wrong.—Atlanta Constitution.

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Mrs. Jinks—Yes, I've sent Sims, the colored man, for the doctor.

Mrs. Blinks—Sent Sims? Mercy me! He won't get there for two hours. He used to be a hotel waiter.—New York Weekly

A Bad Season.

Visitor (at dairy farm)—Well, what kind of a season have you had in the milk business?

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AN ORDINANCE

Vacating certain alleys and a part of a certain alley in the Bellefontaine and Indiana Railroad Company's addition to the Village of Marion, Marion County, Ohio.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained by the Council of the Village of Marion, Ohio, that notice of the application thereof having been published for SIX WEEKS as required by law, that the alley between lots Nos. 512 and 514, the alley between lots Nos. 516 and 517, all in the Bellefontaine and Indiana Railroad Company's addition to the Village of Marion, Marion County, Ohio, and all that part of the alley on the east side of said addition and the north, between a line across said alley from the northeast corner of said lot No. 512 and a line across said alley from a point thirty-nine feet north of the southeast corner of said lot No. 517, are hereby declared vacated.

SEC. 2. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and legal publication.

Passed July 3d, 1889.

H. M. AULT, Clerk. C. P. GALLEY, Mayor.

Local Time Card.

Following is the time of arrival of and departure of trains at and from the several depots in this city, according to the latest changes

ERIE.

WEST.		EAST.	
No. 1	10.50 a. m.	No. 12	1.30 a. m.
No. 97	9.20 a. m.	No. 4	12.45 p. m.
No. 7	12.31 p. m.	No. 98	2.40 p. m.
No. 3	11.06 p. m.	No. 8	9.30 p. m.

BEE LINE.

WEST.		EAST.	
No. 1	4.21 a. m.	No. 8	8.25 a. m.
No. 4	10.28 a. m.	No. 10	8.15 a. m.
No. 7	2.00 p. m.	No. 7	2.25 p. m.
No. 9	11.55 p. m.	No. 6	10.40 p. m.
Local	9.40 a. m.	Local	2.25 p. m.

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NORTH.		SOUTH.	
No. 1	12.16 p. m.	No. 2	8.00 a. m.
No. 3	6.05 a. m.	No. 4	1.48 p. m.
No. 5	7.38 p. m.	No. 6	8.55 p. m.

CANADA

WEST.		EAST.	
No. 1	8.00 a. m.	No. 8	5.55 p. m.
No. 5	12.55 p. m.	No. 10	7.30 p. m.
No. 9	11.30 p. m.	No. 12	4.10 a. m.
No. 15	8.15 p. m.	No. 18	11.30 a. m.

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